

<u>EARLY CORE COURSES (21 hours)¹</u>		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
COUN 500	Orientation to Counselor Professional Identity & Function	3	_____	_____
COUN 501	Ethical & Legal Issues in Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 502	Human Growth & Development	3	_____	_____
COUN 504	Multicultural Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 505	Counseling Techniques & the Helping Relationship	3	_____	_____
COUN 506	Integration of Spirituality & Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 510	Theories of Counseling	3	_____	_____
<u>ADVANCED CORE COURSES (15 hours)</u>				
COUN 512	Group Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 515	Research & Program Evaluation	3	_____	_____
COUN 521	Assessment Techniques in Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 522	Career Development & Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 646	Psychopathology & Counseling	3	_____	_____
<u>COUNSELING SPECIALIZATION COURSES (21 hours)</u>				
COUN 601	Marriage & Family Counseling I	3	_____	_____
COUN 604	Crisis Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 667	Clinical Diagnosis & Treatment Planning	3	_____	_____
COUN 670	Comprehensive Exam-CPCE	Pass	_____	_____
COUN 671	Comprehensive Exam-Integration	Pass	_____	_____
COUN 691	Substance Abuse: Diagnosis, Treatment & Prevention	3	_____	_____
COUN 698	Practicum	3	_____	_____
COUN 699	Counseling Internship	3	_____	_____
COUN 699	Counseling Internship ²	3	_____	_____
<u>ELECTIVE COURSES (3 hours)</u>				
<i>Choose one 500-700 level CRIS, LIFC or SUBS course OR</i>				
<i>Choose one 600-700 level COUN course</i>				
		3	_____	_____
		TOTAL HOURS	60	

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 total hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Successful completion of Comprehensive Exam

Liberty University course work that is more than 10 years old may not be applied towards

this degree. Students are required to repeat the course if it has exceeded the age limit

Degree must be completed within 7 years

Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Program Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Students must successfully complete three hours of undergraduate coursework in statistics. Those who did not complete these courses in their undergraduate programs may fulfill this prerequisite requirement during the first two semesters of the program

²Course may be repeated a third time

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

<p><u>First Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 500 3</p> <p>COUN 501 3</p> <p>COUN 502 <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>	<p><u>Second Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 504 3</p> <p>COUN 505¹ 3</p> <p>COUN 510 <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>
<p><u>Third Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 506 3</p> <p>COUN 512¹ 3</p> <p>COUN 515 <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>	<p><u>Fourth Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 521 3</p> <p>COUN 522 3</p> <p>COUN 646 <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>
<p><u>Fifth Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 604 3</p> <p>COUN 667¹ 3</p> <p>COUN 698 <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>	<p><u>Sixth Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 601 3</p> <p>COUN 691 3</p> <p>COUN 699 3</p> <p>COUN 670⁴ 0</p> <p>COUN 671⁴ <u>0</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 9</p>
<p><u>Seventh Semester</u></p> <p>COUN 699 3</p> <p>Elective^{2,3} <u>3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total 6</p>	

Notes

¹Course offered in Intensive format

²Choose a 600-700 level COUN or 500-700 level CRIS, LIFC or SUBS course

³COUN 602, 603, 604, 610, 611 & 620 can be used to fulfill the 60 hour requirement for LPC in VA. These courses can be taken after the 4th semester, and may or may not be one-week intensives

⁴Counseling Comprehensive Exam prerequisites: COUN 500, 501, 502, 504, 505, 515, 521, 522, 646 and 667

Remember: Students who are located in states that require 60 hours for licensure will need to research their state's requirements for necessary or required electives. Liberty University or the CCFS are not responsible to inform students of specific educational requirements for state licensure.